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## Via ECF

United States District Judge Dale E. Ho U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

Re: Stephen S. Tu v. GEICO Insurance Company

**Docket No. 24-cv-00763-(DEH)** 

Honorable Judge Ho:

This law firm represents Plaintiff Stephen S. Tu. We write to request a one-month adjournment to June 4, 2024, of the initial conference currently scheduled for May 7, 2024. In the alternative, Plaintiff is also available June 5 or 6, 2024. One previous request for adjournment was made because Plaintiff had to correct filing errors before serving the Defendant; that request was granted.

The reason for this second request is that Defendant has still not appeared. On April 15, 2024, Plaintiff served the Summons & Complaint in this matter (with Notice of

Lawsuit, Request to Waive Service of Summons, and Waiver of Service of Summons) on Defendant GEICO via Certified mail/ Return receipt and first-class mail. As Defendant

has not appeared, we have not been able to seek its consent to this request.

## Application **GRANTED**.

The initial pretrial conference scheduled for May 7, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. ET is ADJOURNED to <u>June 11, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. ET</u>. By <u>June 4, 2024</u>, the parties are required to file a joint status letter and proposed case management plan. *See* ECF No. 3. The parties should dial in by calling (646) 453-4442 and entering the Phone Conference ID: 509 288 706, followed by the pound (#) sign.

It is further ORDERED that Plaintiffs serve Defendants via certified mail with a copy of this Order and file proof of such service on the docket by **May 10, 2024**.

The Clerk of Court is respectfully requested to close ECF No. 14.

SO ORDERED.

Dale E. Ho

**United States District Judge** 

Dateed: May 6, 2024 New York, New York